#### OFFICE OF THE STATE CONTROLLER

#### STATE MANDATED COSTS CLAIMING INSTRUCTIONS NO. 2003-06

# INVESTMENT REPORTS (SCHOOL DISTRICTS)

MAY 12, 2003

In accordance with Government Code Section (GC §) 17561, eligible claimants may submit claims to the State Controller's Office (SCO) for reimbursement of costs incurred for state mandated cost programs. The following are claiming instructions and forms that eligible claimants will use for the filing of claims for the Investment Reports (INR) program. These claiming instructions are issued subsequent to adoption of the program's amended parameters and guidelines (P's & G's) by the Commission on State Mandates (COSM).

On March 27, 1997, the COSM determined that the provisions of Government Code Section 53646, subdivisions (a), (b), and (e), as added by Chapter 783, Statutes of 1995, and amended by Chapters 156 and 749, Statutes of 1996, imposed a new program or a higher level of service in an existing program, by requiring agencies to render an annual statement of investment policy and to render quarterly reports of investments. These instructions incorporate amendments to the original mandate that was filed on October 13, 2000. For your reference, the amended P's & G's are included as an integral part of the claiming instructions.

# **Eligible Claimants**

Any school district, community college district, or county office of education, as defined in GC § 17519, that have incurred increased costs as a direct result of this mandate is eligible to claim reimbursement of these costs.

# **Filing Deadlines**

#### A. Reimbursement Claims

Initial reimbursement claims must be filed within 120 days from the issuance date of claiming instructions. Reimbursement claims for fiscal years 1999-00 through 2001-02 must be filed with the SCO and be delivered or postmarked on or before **September 9, 2003**.

Beginning with the 2002-03 fiscal year, estimated claims may be filed with the SCO and be delivered or postmarked on or before **September 9, 2003** or an actual claim for the 2002-03 fiscal year may be filed by January 15, 2004, without a late penalty. Claims filed after the deadline will be reduced by a late penalty of 10%.

Costs for all initial reimbursement claims must be filed separately according to the fiscal year in which the costs were incurred. In order for a claim to be considered properly filed, it must include any specific supporting documentation requested in the instructions. Claims filed more than one year after the deadline will not be accepted.

#### **B.** Estimated Claims

Unless otherwise specified in the claiming instructions, claimants are not required to provide cost schedules and supporting documents with an estimated claim if the estimated amount does not exceed the previous fiscal year's actual costs by more than 10%. Claimants can simply enter the estimated amount on form FAM-27, line (07). However, if the estimated claim exceeds the previous fiscal year's actual costs by more than 10%, claimants must complete supplemental claim forms to support their estimated costs as specified for the program to explain the reason for the increased costs. If no explanation supporting the higher estimate is provided with the claim, it will automatically be adjusted to 110% of the previous fiscal year's actual costs. Future estimated claims filed with the SCO must be postmarked by January 15 of the fiscal year in which costs will be incurred. Claims filed timely will be paid before late claims.

#### **Minimum Claim Cost**

For initial claims and annual claims filed **on or after September 30, 2002**, if the total costs for a given year do not exceed **\$1,000**, no reimbursement shall be allowed except as otherwise allowed by GC § 17564. The county superintendent of schools shall determine if the submission of a combined claim is economically feasible and shall be responsible for disbursing the funds to each school district. Combined claims may be filed only when the county is the fiscal agent for the school districts. A combined claim must show the individual claim costs for each eligible school district.

#### **Reimbursement of Claims**

To be eligible for mandated cost reimbursement for any fiscal year, only actual costs may be claimed. Actual costs are those costs actually incurred to implement the mandated activities. Actual costs must be traceable and supported by source documents that show the validity of such costs, when they were incurred, and their relationship to the reimbursable activities.

Initial reimbursement claims will only be reimbursed to the extent that expenditures can be supported and, if such information is unavailable, claims will be reduced. In addition, ongoing reimbursement claims must be supported by documentation as evidence of the expenditures. Examples of documentation may include, but are not limited to, employee time records that identify mandate activities, payroll records, invoices, receipts, contracts, travel expense vouchers, purchase orders, and caseload statistics. Refer to Sections IV and V of the attached amended P's & G's.

#### **Audit of Costs**

All claims submitted to the SCO are reviewed to determine if costs are related to the mandate, are reasonable and not excessive, and the claim was prepared in accordance with the P's & G's adopted by the COSM. If any adjustments are made to a claim, a "Notice of Claim Adjustment" specifying the claim component adjusted, the amount adjusted, and the reason for the adjustment, will be mailed within 30 days after payment of the claim.

On-site audits will be conducted by the SCO as deemed necessary. Pursuant to GC § 17558.5, subdivision (a), a reimbursement claim for actual costs filed by a school district is subject to audit by the State Controller no later than three years after the date the actual reimbursement claim was filed or last amended, whichever is later. However, if no funds were appropriated or

no payment was made to a claimant for the program for the fiscal year for which the claim was filed, the time for the Controller to initiate an audit shall commence to run from the date of initial payment of the claim. Therefore, all documentation to support actual costs claimed must be retained for the same period, and shall be made available to the SCO on request.

## **Retention of Claiming Instructions**

The claiming instructions and forms in this package should be retained permanently in your Mandated Cost Manual for future reference and use in filing claims. These forms should be duplicated to meet your filing requirements. You will be notified of updated forms or changes to claiming instructions as necessary.

For your reference, these and future mandated costs claiming instructions and forms can be found on the Internet at www.sco.ca.gov/ard/local/locreim/index.shtml.

## **Address for Filing Claims**

Submit a signed original and a copy of form FAM-27, Claim for Payment, and all other forms and supporting documents to:

If delivered by

U.S. Postal Service: Other delivery services:

Office of the State Controller Office of the State Controller

Attn: Local Reimbursements Section

Division of Accounting and Reporting

Attn: Local Reimbursements Section

Division of Accounting and Reporting

P.O. Box 942850 3301 C Street, Suite 500

Sacramento, CA 94250 Sacramento, CA 95816

#### PARAMETERS AND GUIDELINES AMENDMENT

Government Code Section 53646, Subdivisions (a), (b), and (e)

Statutes 1995, Chapter 783 Statutes 1996, Chapter 156 Statutes 1996, Chapter 749

# **Investment Reports**

#### I. SUMMARY OF THE MANDATE

Statutes 1995, chapter 783 repealed the 1993 version of Government Code section 53646, and replaced it with a new section. Statutes 1996, chapter 156, an urgency bill, and Statutes 1996, chapter 749, amended subdivisions (a) and (e) of section 53646. Government Code section 53646 requires the treasurer or chief fiscal officer to render an annual statement of investment policy and a quarterly report of investments, containing specified information to the legislative body and oversight committee, as specified.

On March 27, 1997, the Commission on State Mandates determined that the provisions of Government Code section 53646, subdivisions (a), (b) and (e), as added by Statutes 1995, chapter 783, and amended by Statutes 1996, chapters 156 and 749, impose a new program or a higher level of service in an existing program upon specified local agencies and school districts within the meaning of section 6, article XIII B of the California Constitution and section 17514 of the Government Code by requiring those agencies to perform the following activities:

- To render an annual statement of investment policy pursuant to Government Code section 53646, subdivision (a).
- To render quarterly reports of investments, as specified, pursuant to Government Code section 53646, subdivisions (b) and (e).

#### II. ELIGIBLE CLAIMANTS

The eligible claimants are any county, city, city and county or other public agency or political subdivision of the state, including school districts as defined in Government Code section 17519.

#### III. PERIOD OF REIMBURSEMENT

Government Code section 17557, prior to its amendment by Statutes 1998, chapter 681 (effective September 22, 1998), states that a test claim shall be submitted on or before December 31st following a given fiscal year to establish eligibility for that fiscal year. The test claim for *Investment Reports* was filed on December 23, 1996, establishing eligibility for fiscal year 1995-1996. However, the test claim statutes were not in effect on July 1, 1995. Therefore, initial reimbursement claims were filed for costs incurred, as follows:

Costs incurred pursuant to Statutes 1995, chapter 783 are reimbursable on or after January 1, 1996.

Costs incurred pursuant to Statutes 1996, chapter 156 an urgency statute, are reimbursable on or after July 12, 1996.

• Costs incurred pursuant to Statutes 1996, chapter 749 are reimbursable on or after January 1, 1997.

California Code of Regulations, title 2, section 1183.2, states that a parameters and guidelines amendment filed after the initial claiming deadline must be submitted on or before January 15 following a fiscal year in order to establish eligibility for reimbursement for that fiscal year. An amendment was filed on October 13, 2000. Therefore, in accordance with Section 1183.2, all costs incurred by eligible claimants in compliance with Statutes 1995, chapter 783, and Statutes 1996, chapters 156 and 749 are eligible for reimbursement on or after July 1, 1999.

Actual costs for one fiscal year shall be included in each claim. Estimated costs for the subsequent year may be included on the same claim, if applicable.

Pursuant to Government Code section 17561, subdivision (d)(1), all claims for reimbursement of costs shall be submitted within 120 days of issuance of the claiming instructions by the State Controller.

For initial claims and annual claims filed prior to September 30, 2002, including amendments thereof, if the total costs for a given fiscal year do not exceed \$200, no reimbursement shall be allowed except as otherwise allowed by Government Code section 17564. For initial claims and annual claims filed on or after September 30, 2002, if the total costs for a given fiscal year do not exceed \$1000, no reimbursement shall be allowed except as otherwise allowed by Government Code section 17564.

# IV. REIMBURSABLE ACTIVITIES

To be eligible for mandated cost reimbursement for any fiscal year, only actual costs may be claimed. Actual costs are those costs actually incurred to implement the mandated activities. Actual costs must be traceable and supported by source documents that show the validity of such costs, when they were incurred, and their relationship to the reimbursable activities. A source document is a document created at or near the same time the actual cost was incurred for the event or activity in question. Source documents may include, but are not limited to, employee time records or time logs, sign-in sheets, invoices, and receipts.

Evidence corroborating the source documents may include, but is not limited to, worksheets, cost allocation reports (system generated), purchase orders, contracts, agendas, training packets, and declarations. Declarations must include a certification or declaration stating, "I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct based upon personal knowledge." Evidence corroborating the source documents may include data relevant to the reimbursable activities otherwise in compliance with local, state, and federal government requirements. However, corroborating documents cannot be substituted for source documents.

The claimant is only allowed to claim and be reimbursed for increased costs for reimbursable activities identified below. Increased cost is limited to the cost of an activity that the claimant is required to incur as a result of the mandate.

For each eligible claimant, the following activities are reimbursable:

# A. Statement of Investment Policy

Prepare and submit the annual statement of investment policy, and changes to:

- 1. The legislative body and any oversight committee for consideration at a public meeting, effective January 1, 1996.<sup>1</sup>
- 2. The county board of supervisors and any oversight committee for review and approval at a public meeting, effective January 1, 1997.

# B. Quarterly Report of Investments

1. Implementation Costs

Develop or modify existing policies and procedures for compiling data necessary to render the quarterly report of investments, as required in Government Code section 53646, subdivisions (b)(1), (2), (3) and/or (e), and update same as needed pursuant to the annual statement of investment policy.

# 2. Ongoing Costs

Compile data necessary to render a quarterly report of investments to the chief executive officer, the internal auditor, and the legislative body of the local agency within 30 days following the end of the quarter covered by the report. (Gov. Code, § 53646, subd. (b) (1), (2), and (3) and/or (e).)

- a. For each investment that is held on the last day of each quarter and included in a quarterly report of investments, the following activities are eligible for reimbursement:
  - 1. One-time data entry into investment reporting application or software:
    - the type of investment and issuer,
    - date of maturity, and
    - par and dollar amount invested
  - 2. Providing a description of any of the local agency's funds, investments or programs, including lending programs that are under the management of contracted parties.
  - 3. Obtaining and reporting current market value as of the date of the quarterly report, and reporting the source of this valuation for all investments held by the local agency<sup>2</sup> and under management of any outside party that is not also a local agency or the State of California Local Agency Investment Fund.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the period from January 1, 1996, through December 31, 1996, counties are eligible for reimbursement for the costs incurred to carry out this activity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Government Code section 53630, subdivision (a), defines "local agency" as "county, city, city and county, including a chartered city or county, a community college district, or other public agency or corporation in this state."

- 4. Providing required copies of the most recent statement(s) received by a local agency<sup>3</sup> from the Local Agency Investment Fund, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation-insured accounts in a bank or savings and loan association, a county investment pool, or any combination of these. [Unit Cost Per Page]
- 5. Determining if, on the last day of each quarter, the portfolio complies with the statement of investment policy, and providing an explanation if the portfolio does not comply. (Gov. Code, § 53646, subd. (b) (2).)
- b. Compiling the cash flow information necessary to provide a statement, and any required explanation, denoting the local agency's ability to meet its pool's expenditure requirements for the next six months. Cash flow information needed to provide this statement includes forecasted expenditure requirements and non-investment revenue, plus investment revenue anticipated from securities held at the end of the quarter (Gov. Code, § 53636, subd. (b)(3).).
- c. Automated Systems. The use of specialized software for compiling information required in the quarterly reports of investments is reimbursable. However, if the specialized software is used for other purposes, only the pro rata cost of the software, including licensing agreement, that is *directly related* to the reimbursable activities specified above, may be claimed under Materials and Supplies and/or Contracted Services.

#### 3. Non-Reimbursable Activities

The following activities are not reimbursable:

- a. Duplicate entry of investment transactions<sup>4</sup> into custodian bank records or other databases.
- b. Producing and presenting reports of transactions related to securities not held at the end of a quarter.
- c. Determining if investment transactions related to securities not held at the end of the quarter comply with the investment policy.
- d. Accumulating and compiling data necessary to prepare the monthly reports of investment transactions pursuant to Government Code section 53607, or any other monthly investment reports.

#### V. CLAIM PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION

Each of the following cost elements must be identified for each reimbursable activity identified in Section IV, Reimbursable Activities, of this document. Each claimed reimbursable cost must be supported by source documentation as described in Section IV. Additionally, each reimbursement claim must be filed in a timely manner.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Ibid.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Type of investment and issuer, date of maturity, and par and dollar amount invested. (Gov. Code, § 53646, subd. (b).)

# A. Direct Cost Reporting

Direct costs are those costs incurred specifically for the reimbursable activities. The following direct costs are eligible for reimbursement.

#### 1. Salaries and Benefits

Report each employee implementing the reimbursable activities by name, job classification, and productive hourly rate (total wages and related benefits divided by productive hours). Describe the specific reimbursable activities performed and the hours devoted to each reimbursable activity performed.

# 2. Materials and Supplies

Report the cost of materials and supplies that have been consumed or expended for the purpose of the reimbursable activities. Purchases shall be claimed at the actual price after deducting discounts, rebates, and allowances received by the claimant. Supplies that are withdrawn from inventory shall be charged on an appropriate and recognized method of costing, consistently applied.

#### 3. Contracted Services

Report the name of the contractor and services performed to implement the reimbursable activities. Attach a copy of the contract to the claim. If the contractor bills for time and materials, report the number of hours spent on the activities and all costs charged. If the contract is a fixed price, report the dates when services were performed and itemize all costs for those services.

# 4. Fixed Assets and Equipment

Report the purchase price paid for fixed assets and equipment (including computers) necessary to implement the reimbursable activities. The purchase price includes taxes, delivery costs, and installation costs. If the fixed asset or equipment is also used for purposes other than the reimbursable activities, only the pro-rata portion of the purchase price used to implement the reimbursable activities can be claimed.

#### 5. Travel

Report the name of the employee traveling for the purpose of the reimbursable activities. Include the date of travel, destination point, the specific reimbursable activity requiring travel, and related travel expenses reimbursed to the employee in compliance with the rules of the local jurisdiction. Report employee travel time according to the rules of cost element A.1, Salaries and Benefits, for each applicable reimbursable activity.

#### 6. Training

Report the cost of training an employee to perform the reimbursable activities, as specified in Section IV of this document. Report the name and job classification of each employee preparing for, attending, and/or conducting training necessary to implement the reimbursable activities. Provide the title, subject, and purpose (related to the mandate of the training session), dates attended, and location. If the training encompasses subjects broader than the reimbursable activities, only the pro-rata portion can be claimed. Report employee training time for each applicable reimbursable activity according to the rules of

cost element A.1, Salaries and Benefits, and A.2, Materials and Supplies. Report the cost of consultants who conduct the training according to the rules of cost element A.3, Contracted Services.

#### B. Indirect Cost Rates

Indirect costs are costs that have been incurred for common or joint purposes. These costs benefit more than one cost objective and cannot be readily identified with a particular final cost objective without effort disproportionate to the results achieved. After direct costs have been determined and assigned to other activities, as appropriate, indirect costs are those remaining to be allocated to benefited cost objectives. A cost may not be allocated as an indirect cost if any other cost incurred for the same purpose, in like circumstances, has been claimed as a direct cost.

Indirect costs include: (a) the indirect costs originating in each department or agency of the governmental unit carrying out state mandated programs, and (b) the costs of central governmental services distributed through the central service cost allocation plan and not otherwise treated as direct costs.

- 1. School districts must use the J-380 (or subsequent replacement) non-restrictive indirect cost rate provisionally approved by the California Department of Education.
- 2. County offices of education must use the J-580 (or subsequent replacement) non-restrictive indirect cost rate provisionally approved by the California Department of Education.
- 3. Community colleges have the option of using (1) a federally approved rate, using the cost accounting principles from the OMB Circular A-21 "Cost Principles of Educational Institutions", (2) the rate calculated on State Controller's Form FAM-29C; or (3) a 7% indirect cost rate.
- 4. Counties, Cities and Special Districts

Claimants have the option of using 10% of direct labor, excluding fringe benefits, or preparing an Indirect Cost Rate Proposal (ICRP) if the indirect cost rate claimed exceeds 10%.

If the claimant chooses to prepare an ICRP, both the direct costs (as defined and described in OMB Circular A-87 Attachment A and B) and the indirect costs shall exclude capital expenditures and unallowable costs (as defined and described in OMB Circular A-87 Attachments A and B). However, unallowable costs must be included in the direct costs if they represent activities to which indirect costs are properly allocable.

The distribution base may be (1) total direct costs (excluding capital expenditures and other distorting items, such as pass-through funds, major subcontracts, etc.), (2) direct salaries and wages, or (3) another base which results in an equitable distribution.

In calculating an ICRP, the Claimant shall have the choice of one of the two following methodologies:

a. The allocation of allowable indirect costs (as defined and described in OMB Circular A-87 Attachments A and B) shall be accomplished by (1) classifying a department's total costs for the base period as either direct or indirect, and (2) dividing the total allowable indirect costs (net of applicable credits) by an equitable distribution base. The result of this process is an indirect cost rate which is used to distribute indirect costs to mandates.

The rate should be expressed as a percentage which the total amount allowable indirect costs bears to the base selected.

b. The allocation of allowable indirect costs (as defined and described in OMB Circular A-87 Attachment A and B) shall be accomplished by (1) separating a department into groups, such as divisions or sections, and then classifying the division's or section's total costs for the base period as either direct or indirect, and (2) dividing the total allowable indirect costs (net of applicable credits) by an equitable distribution base. The result of this process is an indirect cost rate which is used to distribute indirect costs to mandates. The rate should be expressed as a percentage which the total amount allowable indirect costs bears to the base selected.

#### VI. RECORD RETENTION

Pursuant to Government Code section 17558.5, subdivision (a), a reimbursement claim for actual costs filed by a local agency or school district pursuant to this chapter5 is subject to the initiation of an audit by the Controller no later than three years after the date that the actual reimbursement claim is filed or last amended, whichever is later. However, if no funds are appropriated or no payment is made to a claimant for the program for the fiscal year for which the claim is filed, the time for the Controller to initiate an audit shall commence to run from the date of initial payment of the claim. All documents used to support the reimbursable activities, as described in Section IV, must be retained during the period subject to audit. If an audit has been initiated by the Controller during the period subject to audit, the retention period is extended until the ultimate resolution of any audit findings.

#### VII. OFFSETTING SAVINGS AND REIMBURSEMENTS

Any offsetting savings the claimant experiences in the same program as a result of the same statutes or executive orders found to contain the mandate shall be deducted from the costs claimed. In addition, reimbursement for this mandate from any source, including but not limited to, services fees collected, federal funds, and other state funds, shall be identified and deducted from this claim. Service fees collected include cost reimbursements received by counties pursuant to Government Code sections 27135, 27013 and 53684, subdivision (b).

## VIII. STATE CONTROLLER'S CLAIMING INSTRUCTIONS

Pursuant to Government Code section 17558, subdivision (b), the Controller shall issue claiming instructions for each mandate that requires state reimbursement not later than 60 days after receiving the adopted parameters and guidelines from the Commission, to assist local agencies and school districts in claiming costs to be reimbursed. The claiming instructions shall be derived from the statute or executive order creating the mandate and the parameters and guidelines adopted by the Commission.

Pursuant to Government Code section 17561, subdivision (d)(1), issuance of the claiming instructions shall constitute a notice of the right of the local agencies and school districts to file reimbursement claims, based upon parameters and guidelines adopted by the Commission.

<sup>5</sup> This refers to Title 2, division 4, part 7, chapter 4 of the Government Code.

## IX. REMEDIES BEFORE THE COMMISSION

Upon request of a local agency or school district, the Commission shall review the claiming instructions issued by the State Controller or any other authorized state agency for reimbursement of mandated costs pursuant to Government Code section 17571. If the Commission determines that the claiming instructions do not conform to the parameters and guidelines, the Commission shall direct the Controller to modify the claiming instructions and the Controller shall modify the claiming instructions to conform to the parameters and guidelines as directed by the Commission.

In addition, requests may be made to amend parameters and guidelines pursuant to Government Code section 17557, subdivision (a), and California Code of Regulations, title 2, section 1183.2.

**State Controller's Office School Mandated Cost Manual** For State Controller Use Only **Program CLAIM FOR PAYMENT** Pursuant to Government Code Section 17561 (19) Program Number 00169 (20) Date Filed **INVESTMENT REPORTS** (21) LRS Input. (01) Claimant Identification Number Reimbursement Claim Data (02) Claimant Name В (22) INR-1, (03) Ε County of Location (23) INR-1, (04)(1)(f) Н Street Address or P.O. Box Suite (24) INR-1, (04)(2)(f) Ε R Citv State Zip Code Ε (25) INR-1, (06) **Estimated Claim Reimbursement Claim** Type of Claim (26)(03) Estimated (09) Reimbursement (27)(10) Combined (04) Combined (28)(05) Amended (11) Amended (29)**Fiscal Year of Cost** (06)(12)(30)**Total Claimed Amount** (13)(31)Less: 10% Late Penalty (14)(32)Less: Prior Claim Payment Received (15)(33)**Net Claimed Amount** (16)(34)**Due from State** (80) (17)(35)**Due to State** (36) (18)(37) CERTIFICATION OF CLAIM In accordance with the provisions of Government Code § 17561, I certify that I am the officer authorized by the school district to file claims with the State of California for costs mandated by Chapter 783, Statutes of 1995, et seg, and certify under penalty of perjury that I have not violated any of the provisions of Government Code Sections 1090 to 1098, inclusive. I further certify that there was no other application from the claimant, nor any grant or payment received, for reimbursement of costs claimed herein; and such costs are a direct result of a new program or increased level of services of an existing program mandated by Chapter 783, Statutes of 1995, et seq. All offsetting savings and reimbursements set forth in the Parameters and Guidelines are identified, and all costs claimed are supported by source documentation currently maintained by the claimant. The amounts for Estimated Claim and/or Reimbursement Claim are hereby claimed from the State for payment of estimated and/or actual costs for the mandated program of Chapter 783, Statutes of 1995, et seq, set forth on the attached statements. I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Signature of Authorized Officer Date

Form FAM-27 (Revised 5/03)

(38) Name of Contact Person for Claim

Type or Print Name

Ext.

Title

Telephone Number E-Mail Address Program 169

# INVESTMENT REPORTS Certification Claim Form Instructions

FORM FAM-27

- (01) Enter the payee number assigned by the State Controller's Office.
- (02) Enter your Official Name, County of Location, Street or P.O. Box address, City, State, and Zip Code.
- (03) If filing an original estimated claim, enter an "X" in the box on line (03) Estimated.
- (04) If filing an original estimated claim on behalf of districts within the county, enter an "X" in the box on line (04) Combined.
- (05) If filing an amended or combined claim, enter an "X" in the box on line (05) Amended. Leave boxes (03) and (04) blank.
- (06) Enter the fiscal year in which costs are to be incurred.
- (07) Enter the amount of estimated claim. If the estimate exceeds the previous year's actual costs by more than 10%, complete form INR-1 and enter the amount from line (11).
- (08) Enter the same amount as shown on line (07).
- (09) If filing an original reimbursement claim, enter an "X" in the box on line (09) Reimbursement.
- (10) If filing an original reimbursement claim on behalf of districts within the county, enter an " X " in the box on line (10) Combined.
- (11) If filing an amended or a combined claim on behalf of districts within the county, enter an "X" in the box on line (11) Amended.
- (12) Enter the fiscal year for which actual costs are being claimed. If actual costs for more than one fiscal year are being claimed, complete a separate form FAM-27 for each fiscal year.
- (13) Enter the amount of reimbursement claim from form INR-1, line (11). The total claimed amount must be a minimum of \$1,000.
- (14) Filing Deadline. Initial Claims of Ch. 783/95 et seq. If the reimbursement claims for fiscal years 1999-00 through 2001-02 and estimated claims for 2002-03 are filed after September 9, 2003, the claims must be reduced by a late penalty. Costs for all initial reimbursement claims must be filed separately to the fiscal year in which the costs were incurred. Reimbursement claims must be filed by January 15 of the following fiscal year in which costs are incurred or the claims shall be reduced by a late penalty. Enter the product of multiplying line (13) by the factor 0.10 (10% penalty).
- (15) If filing a reimbursement claim and a claim was previously filed for the same fiscal year, enter the amount received for the claim. Otherwise, enter a zero.
- (16) Enter the result of subtracting line (14) and line (15) from line (13).
- (17) If line (16) Net Claimed Amount is positive, enter that amount on line (17) Due from State.
- (18) If line (16) Net Claimed Amount is negative, enter that amount in line (18) Due to State.
- (19) to (21) Leave blank.
- (22) to (36) Reimbursement Claim Data. Bring forward the cost information as specified on the left-hand column of lines (22) through (36) for the reimbursement claim, e.g., INR-1, (04)(1)(f), means the information is located on form INR-1, block (04), line (1), column (f). Enter the information on the same line but in the right-hand column. Cost information should be rounded to the nearest dollar, i.e., no cents. Indirect costs percentage should be shown as a whole number and without the percent symbol, i.e., 7.548% should be shown as 8. Completion of this data block will expedite the payment process.
- (37) Read the statement "Certification of Claim." If it is true, the claim must be dated, signed by the agency's authorized officer, and must include the person's name and title, typed or printed. Claims cannot be paid unless accompanied by a signed certification.
- (38) Enter the name, telephone number, and e-mail address of the person to contact if additional information is required.

SUBMIT A SIGNED ORIGINAL AND A COPY OF FORM FAM-27 WITH ALL OTHER FORMS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO:

Address, if delivered by U.S. Postal Service:

OFFICE OF THE STATE CONTROLLER ATTN: Local Reimbursements Section Division of Accounting and Reporting P.O. Box 942850 Sacramento, CA 94250 Address, if delivered by other delivery service:

OFFICE OF THE STATE CONTROLLER ATTN: Local Reimbursements Section Division of Accounting and Reporting 3301 C Street, Suite 500 Sacramento, CA 95816

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# INVESTMENT REPORTS CLAIM SUMMARY Instructions

FORM INR-1

- (01) Enter the name of the claimant. If more than one department has incurred costs for this mandate, give the name of each department. A form INR-1 should be completed for each department.
- (02) Type of Claim. Check a box, Reimbursement or Estimated, to identify the type of claim being filed. Enter the fiscal year of costs.

Form INR-1 must be filed for a reimbursement claim. Do not complete form INR-1 if you are filing an estimated claim and the estimate does not exceed the previous fiscal year's actual costs by more than 10%. Simply enter the amount of the estimated claim on form FAM-27, line (07). However, if the estimated claim exceeds the previous fiscal year's actual costs by more than 10%, form INR-1 must be completed and a statement attached explaining the increased costs. Without this information the high estimated claim will automatically be reduced to 110% of the previous fiscal year's actual costs.

- (03) Enter the number of investment reports that were prepared during the fiscal year.
- (04) For each reimbursable component, enter the total from form INR-2, line (05), columns (d), (e), (f), (g), and (h) to form INR-1, block (04), columns (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e) in the appropriate row. Total each row.
- (05) Total columns (a) through (f).
- (06) Enter the indirect cost rate from the Department of Education form J-380 or J-580, as applicable for the fiscal year of costs.
- (07) Enter the result of multiplying the Indirect Cost Rate, line (06), by the Total Direct Costs, line (05)(f).
- (08) Enter the sum of Total Direct Costs, line (05)(f), and Total Indirect Costs, line (07).
- (09) If applicable, enter the total savings experienced by the claimant as a direct result of this mandate. Submit a detailed schedule of savings with the claim.
- (10) If applicable, enter the amount of other reimbursements received from any source including, but not limited to, service fees collected, federal funds, and other state funds, which reimbursed any portion of the mandated cost program. Submit a schedule detailing the reimbursement sources and amounts.
- (11) Subtract the sum of Offsetting Savings, line (09), and Other Reimbursements, line (10), from Total Direct and Indirect Costs, line (08). Enter the remainder on this line and carry the amount forward to form FAM-27, line (07) for the Estimated Claim or line (13) for the Reimbursement Claim.

# **School Mandated Cost Manual MANDATED COSTS FORM INVESTMENT REPORTS** INR-2 COMPONENT/ACTIVITY COST DETAIL (01) Claimant (02) Fiscal Year Costs Were Incurred (03) Reimbursable Components: Check only **one** box per form to identify the component being claimed. **Quarterly Report of Investments** Statement of Investment Policy (04) Description of Expenses: Complete columns (a) through (h). **Object Accounts** (a) (b) (c) (d) (f) (h) (e) (g) Hourly Hours Employee Names, Job Classifications, Materials Rate Worked Salaries and Training and Contract Fixed Functions Performed, and Description of and Benefits Travel Services Assets or or Expenses Supplies **Unit Cost** Quantity (05) Total Subtotal [ Page:\_ \_of\_

# INVESTMENT REPORTS COMPONENT/ACTIVITY COST DETAIL Instructions

FORM INR-2

- (01) Enter the name of the claimant.
- (02) Enter the fiscal year for which costs were incurred.
- (03) Reimbursable Components. Check the box which indicates the cost component being claimed. Check only one box per form. A separate form INR-2 shall be prepared for each applicable component.
- Description of Expenses. The following table identifies the type of information required to support reimbursable costs. To detail costs for the component activity box "checked" in block (03), enter the employee names, position titles, a brief description of the activities performed, actual time spent by each employee, productive hourly rates, fringe benefits, supplies used, contract services, training costs, etc. Contract services are reimbursable to the extent that the activities performed require special skill or knowledge that are not readily available from the claimant's staff. If equipment or specialized software required for the quarterly report is acquired and is also utilized for other programs, only the prorated cost of the expense is reimbursable. The descriptions required in column (4)(a) must be of sufficient detail to explain the cost of activities or items being claimed. For audit purposes, all supporting documents must be retained by the claimant for a period of not less than three years after the date the claim was filed or last amended, whichever is later. If no funds were appropriated and no payment was made at the time the claim was filed, the time for the Controller to initiate an audit shall be from the date of initial payment of the claim. Such documents shall be made available to the State Controller's Office on request.

Object/ Sub object Accounts	Columns								Submit these supporting
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	documents with the claim
Salaries	Employee Name	Hourly Rate	Hours Worked	Salaries = Hourly Rate x Hours Worked					
Benefits	Title Activities	Benefit Rate		Benefits = Benefit Rate x Salaries					
Materials and Supplies	Description Of Materials, Specialized Software and Supplies Used	Unit Cost	Quantity Used		Cost = Unit Cost x Quantity Used				
Travel and Training Travel	Purpose of Trip Name and Title Departure and Return Date	Per Diem Rate Mileage Rate Travel Cost	Days Miles Travel Mode			Cost = Rate x Days or Miles or Total Travel Cost			
Training	Employee Name/ Title Name of Class		Dates Attended			Registration Fee			
Contract Services	Name of Contractor Specific Tasks Performed	Hourly Rate	Hours Worked Dates of Service				Itemized Cost of Services Performed		Copy of Contract
Fixed Assets	Description of Equipment Purchased Equipment ID	Unit Cost	Quantity Used					Itemized Cost of Equipment Purchased	

Total line (04), columns (d), (e), (f), (g), and (h) and enter the sum on this line. Check the appropriate box to indicate if the amount is a total or subtotal. If more than one form is needed to detail the component/activity costs, number each page. Enter totals from line (05), columns (d), (e), (f), (g), and (h) to form INR-1, block (04), columns (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e) in the appropriate row.